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Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852.

Re: [Docket No. 98N-1109] Request for Data and Information on Food and Drug Products That Contain Intentionally Introduced Mercury Compounds Federal Register: December 14, 1998 (Volume 63, Number 239)

Dear Madam or Sir:

Eli Lilly and Company does not currently market in the United States any human or veterinary drug product (prescription or OTC) containing any intentionally introduced mercury compounds, whether used as an active or inactive ingredient.

We recognize that the deadline for affected manufacturers to submit the required data and information was March 15, 1999. Although we are not an affected manufacturer, we are providing this notification to assist the FDA in completing their FDAMA required analysis.

Please feel free to contact me at (317) 276-0368 for any clarification.

Sincerely,

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Director, Global Regulatory Affairs, Chemistry Manufacturing and Control

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